

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Claims 1-17 (cancelled)

Claim 18 (currently amended)

A vehicle rear view mirror comprising a housing ~~with a rim, and a mirror lens and a carried by a~~ location frame having a plurality of corners, said frame being adapted to carry said mirror lens and to locate it wholly within the rim of the housing without extending over the edges thereof, said frame and/or housing being made from a resilient material, ~~and the frame being a resilient snap-fit within the housing characterized in that the frame is located within a rim of the housing without extending laterally over the outer edges of said housing and said frame being releasably detachable.~~

Claim 19 (currently amended)

A ~~The mirror as claimed in of claim 18 in which characterized in that~~ said housing is provided with frame retainment means and said frame is provided with housing engagement means.

Claim 20 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 19 which characterized in that said frame retainment means comprises one or more ~~releasable~~ catches and said housing engagement means comprises one or more abutments which co-operate with said catches.

Claim 21 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 18 in which characterized in that said frame is provided with lens engagement means.

Claim 22 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 21 which characterized in that said lens engagement means comprises one or more abutments adapted to engage said lens.

Claim 23 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 21 in which characterized in that said lens is a resilient snap fit in said frame.

Claim 24 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 18 in which  
characterized in that said frame and/or said housing are  
made from a resilient synthetic plastics material.

Claim 25 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 18 in which  
characterized in that said housing comprises a casing  
adapted to cover the rear face of said lens.

Claim 26 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 18 in which  
characterized in that said lens is concave or convex or  
flat.

Claim 27 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 26 in which  
characterized in that said lens is of the polycarbonate  
unbreakable type, or any other substrate on which a  
reflective surface may be deposited.

Claim 28 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 26 in which  
characterized in that said lens is glass.

Claim 29 (currently amended)

A The mirror as claimed in of claim 26 characterized  
in that said frame is provided with slots at each corner to  
provide further resilience to said frame.

Claim 30 (new)

The mirror of claim 18 characterized in that said  
housing and said frame are releasable detachable.

Claim 31 (new)

The mirror of claim 25 characterized in that said  
housing is provided with means to receive a mounting  
attached to said vehicle.